

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OEXC, EAID

SUBJECT: AID BICENTENNIAL SATELLITE DEVELOPMENT PROPOSAL

REF: (A) STATE 114338, (B) STATE 113800

1. WE BELIEVE SATELLITE DEMONSTRATION PROPOSED  
REFTEL (A) MAY BE DESIRABLE IN LIBYA AND WE  
TENTATIVELY SUGGEST DEMONSTRATION IN LIBYA BE  
GIVEN CONSIDERATION, OUR RECOMMENDATION IS  
TENTATIVE IN THAT WE WOULD NEED TO EXPLORE RE-  
CEPTIVITY OF LARG FOR SUCH DEMONSTRATION. WOULD  
APPRECIATE COPY REFTEL (B) AND OTHER DETAILS PROPOSED  
PROJECT.

2. LARG HAS DISPLAYED CONSIDERABLE INTEREST IN ADVANCED  
COMMUNICATIONS AND USE OF SPACE TECHNOLOGY FOR DEVELOPMENT.  
LARG SPACE COMMITTEE JUST RECENTLY REACHED AGREEMENT  
WITH NASA ON PARTICIPATION IN LANDSAT PROGRAM.  
PROPOSED DEMONSTRATION COULD PROVE USEFUL IN  
FURTHERING OUR COMMERCIAL INTERESTS IN LIBYA AS  
WELL AS IN BROADENING OUR VERY LIMITED RANGE OF  
CONTACTS IN MID AND HIGHER REACHES OF GOVERNMENT.  
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